



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, Wattle Range (DC), 2004-2008

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 29 April 2010

Contents

Tables

- [1](#) Economy
- [2](#) Population/People
- [3](#) Industry
- [4](#) Environment/Energy

More information available from the ABS website

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, 2004-2008


[Summary](#)

[Explanatory Notes](#)

Inquiries

Further information about these and related statistics is available from the ABS website www.abs.gov.au, or contact the National Information and Referral Service on 1300 135 070.

[© Commonwealth of Australia 2010](#)

<div>  <div> <div>Australian Bureau of Statistics</div> </div> </div>		Australian Bureau of Statistics			
1379.0 55.001 National Regional Profile, Wattle Range (OC), 2004-2008					
Released at 11.35am (Canberra time) 29 April 2010					
Table 1: Economy					
		2004	2005	2006	2007
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter					
Unemployed persons	no	264	236	294	307
Unemployment rate	%	4.1	3.7	4.6	4.7
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June					
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	1 536	1 740
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	6.4	12.7
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	6 136	7 294
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	5 477	5 269
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	229.2	241.5
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	41 171	45 690
Net tax	\$m	-	-	55.3	52.4
Average net tax	\$	-	-	9 194	9 889
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	22	22
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	7 007	7 044
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	234.6	254.7
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	33 497	36 154
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June					
Age Pension - Continues	no	1 175	1 231	1 220	1 240
Age Pension - DVA	no	0	0	0	0
Care Payment	no	99	99	99	99
Disability Support Pension	no	422	444	491	440
Age-related Allowance	no	249	241	244	242
Widow's Payment - Single	no	267	275	286	245
Youth Allowances	no	168	161	146	154
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	np	62.6	64.1	75.1
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June					
Wage and salary earners	no	5 294	5 271	5 207	5 200
Wage and salary income	\$	188.6	188.6	171.7	181.0
Average wage and salary income	\$	31 657	32 162	32 075	34 815
Own unincorporated business earners	no	2 033	1 964	1 943	1 942
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	47.9	41.6	29.1	39.0
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	23 946	21 175	14 440	20 105
Investment earners	no	3 797	3 808	3 748	3 858
Investment income	\$m	26.1	26.4	24.4	27.2
Average investment income	\$	5 260	6 321	7 037	6 030
Superannuation and annuity earners	no	232	242	240	261
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	3.5	3.9	4.3	5.2
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	14 977	15 976	17 614	19 695
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	630	676	580	581
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	1.7	0.7	1.8	1.8
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 068	1 064	1 379	1 705
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	240.6	239.9	231.2	257.2
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June					
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	564	531	497	465
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	571	595	590	562
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	740	726	724	716
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	690	642	623	626
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	348	364	373	410
Males - 65 years and over	no	76	84	79	87
Males - Total	no	2 949	2 943	2 658	2 871
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	466	430	415	386
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	498	449	427	452
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	614	617	620	598
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	555	560	587	563
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	257	244	250	277
Females - 65 years and over	no	26	29	26	42
Females - Total	no	2 348	2 329	2 350	2 336
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	1 030	961	912	863
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	1 039	1 043	987	994
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	1 354	1 343	1 352	1 317
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	1 209	1 202	1 210	1 211
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	675	688	693	687
Persons - 65 years and over	no	104	113	117	125
Persons - Total	no	5 297	5 272	5 208	5 201
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June					
Managers and Administrators	no	269	294	292	295
Professionals	no	496	496	490	493
Associate Professionals	no	192	194	212	214
Technicians and Related Workers	no	609	609	616	646
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	90	80	89	73
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	692	664	705	694
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no	644	507	614	634
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	402	408	418	444
Labourers and Related Workers	no	1 647	1 669	1 573	1 467
Not Stated	no	362	357	323	328
Total wage and salary earners	no	5 297	5 272	5 212	5 202
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June					
Net worth per household	\$'000	469.7	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	2 026.0	-	-	-
Equivalent net worth	\$'000	271.0	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$'000	462.8	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$'000	45.1	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	9.6	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing businesses	no	744	711	723	723
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no	348	366	376	376
Employing businesses 5 or more employees	no	296	295	291	291
Total businesses	no	1 371	1 362	1 377	1 362
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	no	105	93	87	81
Employing business entries	no	172	185	188	184
Total business entries	no	177	158	156	135
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	no	147	108	84	76
Employing business exits	no	112	9	97	54
Total business exits	no	105	117	141	120
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	no	810	795	818	804
Mining	no	8	9	3	3
Manufacturing	no	48	48	48	57
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	0	0	0
Construction	no	108	111	117	120
Wholesale trade	no	36	36	42	42
Retail trade	no	114	105	90	96
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no	54	51	49	54
Transport and storage	no	27	21	24	21
Communication services	no	3	6	6	6
Finance and insurance	no	8	21	24	36
Property and business services	no	102	108	111	114
Education	no	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	no	16	16	16	16
Cultural and recreational services	no	9	6	6	3
Personal and other services	no	21	24	27	16
Total businesses	no	1 371	1 362	1 377	1 362
Commonwealth of Australia 2010					



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, Wattle Range (DC), 2004-2008

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 29 April 2010

Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	397	398
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	438	450
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	492	502
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	407	399
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	325	311
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	382	392
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	397	401
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	516	513
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	463	482
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	500	502
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	472	458
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	405	422
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	280	309
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	252	259
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	192	182
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	166	175
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	95	100
Males - 85 years and over	no.	79	76
Males - Total	no.	6 258	6 331
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	404	403
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	425	431
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	460	448
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	364	359
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	282	281
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	334	332
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	399	376
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	438	454
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	456	446
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	455	447
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	414	427
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	349	351
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	309	327
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	238	248
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	224	230
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	199	197
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	155	160
Females - 85 years and over	no.	138	135
Females - Total	no.	6 043	6 052
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	801	801
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	863	881
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	952	950

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	771	758
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	607	592
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	716	724
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	796	777
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	954	967
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	919	928
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	955	949
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	886	885
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	754	773
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	589	636
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	490	507
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	416	412
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	365	372
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	250	260
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	217	211
Persons - Total	no.	12 301	12 383

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
--------------------	-------------	---	---

ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
--------------------------------	---	---	---

OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
--------------------------------	---	---	---

LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	155	153
--------	-----	-----	-----

Total fertility rate	rate	2.2	2.2
Deaths	no.	76	94
Standardised death rate	rate	6.8	6.8

[© Commonwealth of Australia 2010](#)



2006	2007	2008
446	419	429
442	459	438
491	476	476
402	398	416
305	325	331
378	363	371
380	377	384
513	477	447
498	515	522
474	473	469
448	461	475
444	441	454
326	359	348
255	248	265
179	197	213
180	181	178
112	112	114
66	63	69
6 339	6 344	6 399
397	407	427
427	423	401
454	429	440
353	370	373
277	267	275
340	329	322
349	362	354
464	449	436
447	449	467
448	447	440
428	426	428
356	358	380
322	324	320
269	281	304
219	226	218
205	214	208
153	148	159
143	158	157
6 051	6 067	6 109
843	826	856
869	882	839
945	905	916

755	768	789
582	592	606
718	692	693
729	739	738
977	926	883
945	964	989
922	920	909
876	887	903
800	799	834
648	683	668
524	529	569
398	423	431
385	395	386
265	260	273
209	221	226
12 390	12 411	12 508

-	-	3.2
---	---	-----

1.3	-	-
-----	---	---

0.9	-	-
-----	---	---

6.0	-	-
-----	---	---

1.3	-	-
-----	---	---

0.0	-	-
-----	---	---

0.3	-	-
-----	---	---

0.2	-	-
-----	---	---

0.2	-	-
-----	---	---

0.3	-	-
-----	---	---

0.2	-	-
-----	---	---

9.4	-	-
-----	---	---

2.6	-	-
-----	---	---

1sus 2006

0.3	-	-
-----	---	---

0.7	-	-
-----	---	---

4.9	-	-
-----	---	---

4.7	-	-
-----	---	---

17.5	-	-
------	---	---

11.1	-	-
------	---	---

39.1	-	-
------	---	---

21.8	-	-
------	---	---

8.7	-	-
-----	---	---

13.0	-	-
------	---	---

6.7	-	-
-----	---	---

8.6	-	-
-----	---	---

7.6	-	-
-----	---	---

10.9	-	-
21.2	-	-
1.5	-	-
1 174	-	-
88	-	-
3 214	-	-
4 476	-	-
1 172	-	-
241	-	-
1 362	-	-
309	-	-
119	-	-
32	-	-
3 235	-	-
9 905	-	-
1 367	-	-
6 945	-	-
3 519	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
100.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
51.2	-	-
15.0	-	-
33.8	-	-
30.8	-	-
22.9	-	-
8.1	-	-
1.7	-	-
12.4	-	-
20.7	-	-
29.0	-	-
0.6	-	-
50.3	-	-
176	143	163

2.3	2.3	2.4
110	106	100
6.5	7.1	7.1



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, Wattle Range (DC), 2004-2008

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 29 April 2010

Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	54	66
Total dwelling units	no.	55	74
Value of private sector houses	\$m	7.8	10.5
Value of new residential building	\$m	7.8	11.2
Value of total residential building	\$m	9.4	13.3
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	5.4	8.2
Value of total building	\$m	14.8	21.4
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	143.9	158.6
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	6 595	6 707
Campervans	no.	41	38
Light commercial vehicles	no.	3 125	3 143
Light rigid trucks	no.	26	36
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	339	335
Articulated trucks	no.	117	117
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	19	22
Buses	no.	35	39
Motorcycles	no.	382	374
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	10 678	10 810
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	536	542
Campervans	no.	3	3
Light commercial vehicles	no.	254	254
Light rigid trucks	no.	2	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	28	27
Articulated trucks	no.	10	9
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	2	2
Buses	no.	3	3
Motorcycles	no.	31	30
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	868	873
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	2 244	2 191
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	2 694	2 817
10 years or older	no.	5 665	5 742
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	8 681	8 628

Diesel	no.	1 943	2 115
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	55	68

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
47	57	49
51	59	55
7.3	8.4	9.8
7.6	8.6	11.1
10.5	10.6	13.8
5.0	4.2	8.9
15.5	14.8	22.7
155.7	148.1	201.0
6 856	6 825	6 965
34	34	36
3 131	3 109	3 116
40	33	34
350	341	325
115	108	111
20	14	15
39	37	35
388	406	436
10 973	10 904	11 073
553	550	557
3	3	3
253	251	249
3	3	3
28	27	26
9	9	9
2	1	1
3	3	3
31	33	35
886	879	885
2 243	2 089	2 004
2 909	3 012	2 981
5 766	5 750	6 039
8 670	8 517	8 556

2 227	2 293	2 421
77	92	95

77.0	-	-
54.8	-	-
30.0	-	-
161.8	-	-

279 664.8	-	-
13 829.7	-	-
1 023.4	-	-
202.7	-	-
202.7	-	-
9 820.1	-	-

615 258	-	-
12 014	-	-
150 916	-	-
136	-	-

cat no. 7125.0



Australian Bureau of Statistics

1379.0.55.001 National Regional Profile, Wattle Range (DC), 2004-2008

Released at 11.30am (Canberra time) 29 April 2010

Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

[© Commonwealth of Australia 2010](#)



2006	2007	2008
-	-	3 924.8
280	-	-
15	-	-
53 066	-	-
4 755	-	-
57 820	-	-
5.4	-	-